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FM AMEMBASSY KIGALI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2732

INFO USINT ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA

USINT CAIRO

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

C O N F I D E N T I A L KIGALI 0705

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR MASS RW UG BY

SUBJ: RWANDAN SECURITY CONCERNS

REF: A) KIGALI 0699; B) KIGALI 0697 NOTAL

1. AT A RECEPTION NOVEMBER 28 I ASKED FONMIN
NSEKALIJE WHETHER HE HAD HEARD REPORT OF SHIPMENT
SOVIET ARMS TO UGANDA (REF B). NSEKALIJE SAID
HE HAD HEARD REPORT, BUT HAD NO DETAILS RE
COMPOSITION OF SHIPMENT. MINISTER EXPRESSED
CONCERN THAT SUCH ACTIVITIES COULD UPSET MILITARY
EQUILIBRIUM IN THIS REGION AND REFERRED IN SAME
CONTEXT TO RECENT ALGERIAN AND LIBYAN MILITARY
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AID TO BURUNDI. NSEKALIJE SAID THAT ALTHOUGH

RWANDA'S RELATIONS WITH UGANDA AND BURUNDI PRESENTLY
GOOD, GOR WORRIED ABOUT BUILD-UP OF NEIGHBORS'
ARMIES.

2. I ASKED FONMIN WHETHER RWANDA PLANNED TO
ACQUIRE ADDITIONAL ARMS (REF A). MINISTER SIDE-
STEPPED QUESTION, BUT REMARKED THAT RWANDA MUST
TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS TO PROTECT ITS SECURITY.
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